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## Rutherford Campaign Will Open Wednesday Evening

Opening Meeting in Oddfellows' Hall, Norwood, Will Be Addressed by Hon. A. C. Rutherford, C. W. Cross and Others—Big Series of Meetings

Hon. A. C. Rutherford will open his campaign in Edmonton on Wednesday evening in the Oddfellows' hall, Norwood, with a public meeting to which all are invited. The speakers of the evening will be Mr. Rutherford and Mr. Cross, with probably one or two other prominent supporters, and their topic will be the big issues of the campaign.

Other meetings are being arranged for in the city to follow the Norwood hall meeting and a series of meetings has already been arranged for in the country districts as a result of which practically every voter in the constituency will be given an opportunity to hear Mr. Rutherford. Announcement of the dates and places of most of the meetings will be made in the near future.

## CONDITIONS IN ENGLAND ARE VERY UNSETTLED

According to J. A. McDougall, M.P.P., Who Has Just Returned from a Seven-Months' Tour of Old World Was Present at Coronation

Mr. McDougall, M.P.P., who returned from a seven-months' tour of Europe, which time was spent in the British Isles, Mr. McDougall was in England when the first strike of dock hands in London was called and he was there also when the German war scare placed the fleet between the upper and lower houses of the British government in the back ground. During the entire time spent in England he saw on every hand the effects of the policies of Lloyd-George. He saw large and small estates offered for sale and negotiations in progress to take millions of pounds of British capital out of the country for investment in land and enterprise in the various British possessions.

"Lloyd-George is today the most popular, and yet the most unpopular man in England," said Mr. McDougall. "The capital has evaporated. It is popular among the masses, whom his policy of taxation will relieve some of their burdens, but he is unpopular among all classes of property holders. His measures are regarded as extreme socialism and there is much speculation as to how they will work out. Meanwhile property is being offered for sale almost everywhere in England. Old estates are being placed on the market and men with small holdings are trying to sell them, and they are trying to sell their capital where they may invest their capital where

taxation is not so burdensome. Property in England can be purchased very cheaply now."

Mr. McDougall said that this condition of affairs in England is working out to the benefit of Canada and other British possessions. On his way home he traveled with the agent for a Toronto real estate firm who had been successful in securing \$3,000,000 of British capital for investment in Canada. He came in contact with the representatives of a Winnipeg firm who also had been successful in securing a large amount of British capital for Canadian investments.

"There of four years ago," he said, "it would have been impossible to secure this money for investment outside of England. The change is the result of increased taxation on property through the Lloyd-George measures."

At the time of the first strike of dock hands in London Mr. McDougall saw 40,000 people marching through the streets in the east side of London, accompanied by three brass bands. It was a demonstration in favor of the strikers and he said that it reminded him of descriptions of the mobs of the French revolution. He expressed the opinion, however, that the difference between the employers and employed in England will be settled in a satisfactory manner. There is still a feeling of apprehension in England regarding the actions of Germany in Morocco.

Mr. McDougall left Edmonton for his European tour early in January.

## FIRST HE HAS HEARD OF PROVINCIAL ELECTION

Premier Sifton Will Neither Confirm Nor Deny Rumor that Appeal Will Be Made to People This Fall—Refuses to Discuss the Question

Premier Sifton this morning made a statement which is tantamount to a denial of the rumors that a provincial election will be held this fall.

"Is it the intention of your government to appeal to the people this fall?" was the question conveyed to the premier this morning.

"The first I've heard about it," was the reply.

If an election were to be held in the provincial constituencies upon the same date as the federal elections, it would be necessary to issue the writs almost immediately. Section 105 of the election act of 1909 provides that not more than twenty and not less than sixteen days must elapse between the issuance of a writ in any election and nomination day, and seven days between the date of nominations and the election.

### LONDON NEWSPAPER SCORES PREMIER LAURIER

(Canadian Associated Press)

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Regarding the Dominion election the Morning News today says: "If Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his associates had adhered to the National policy inherited from his predecessors in power there would be no reason to believe that they would be in danger of defeat." But they suddenly decided to raise their heads and halfhearted support of Americanism vs. Imperialism.

### NO QUOTATION

Liverpool, Aug. 19.—John Rogers & Co. report here today that owing to the absorption of their business through railway disputes and other causes, it is impossible to give any reliable meat quotations.

Ontario, Aug. 19.—Admiral Togo will pass through Calgary next Friday. He will spend the day at Banff.

Dr. Meitzner, resident physician of the Canadian branch of the St. John Ambulance Association, has been created Knight of the Grand Order of St. John of Jerusalem, of which order he is Grand Prior.

### COLLECTED 42,240 FARES.

On Thursday, the biggest day of the exhibition, the street railway collected 42,240 fares. Yesterday the fare collected fell short of that number by a considerable extent. It has not yet been definitely determined just what the business was.

## CATHOLICS INVADE COLUMBUS SUNDAY

LAYMEN, MEMBERS OF NUMEROUS ORDERS TO CONGREGATE IN OHIO CAPITAL.

GERMAN TOWN PLACES A TAX ON FELINES

(Union Press Service)

Columbus, O., Aug. 19.—During the four days beginning tomorrow Ohio's capital city is to have the honor of entertaining what is expected to be the greatest gathering of Catholic laymen ever assembled in this country. The occasion will be the tenth annual convention of the American Federation of Catholic Societies, which embraces the Ancient Order of Hibernians, the Knights of St. John, the Holy Name societies, the Catholic Order of Foresters and other organizations having an aggregate membership exceeding one million.

A special pontifical mass at the cathedral will open the convention tomorrow morning and in the afternoon there will be a big parade in which 12,000 marchers, about one fourth of them in uniform, will take part. The business sessions will begin Monday morning and the convention will be brought to a close with a banquet Wednesday night. Social recreation and the participation of Catholic laymen in such movements will form the main subject of discussion. The Most Rev. Biemonte Faldon, the apostolic delegate at Washington, will attend the convention and Archbishop Goen of Cincinnati, Bishop McFall of Pittsburg, Bishop McFall of Trenton and numerous other prelates of note will take part.

Officers Poisoned.

(Western Associated Press)

Lisbon, Aug. 19.—Thirty army officers were poisoned at their noon dinner at Torres Novas last night, apparently from arsenic. Prompt use of stomach pumps saved the lives of all of them. It is presumed the poisoning was an act of revenge.

## BRITISH RAILWAY SCHEDULES ARE DEMORALIZED BY STRIKE

## HARVEST TO BEGIN EARLY NEXT WEEK

STRATHCONA DISTRICT WILL REAP A BUMPER CROP THIS YEAR—INCREASED ACREAGE.

Strathcona, Aug. 19.—The coming week with good weather conditions will see the fall wheat harvest going ahead in this district under full pressure. The several days of splendid ripening weather this week have put the last touch of firmness to the fields of this grain and although there is little fear of frost for some time yet the farmers will take no chances and hundreds of acres will go into the sheaf before another ten days. Already a great deal of winter wheat has been harvested within a radius of fifteen miles from the city and it is said that the grain is plump and hard. The acreage is vastly increased over last year's crop and with full few exceptions the wheat is standing heavy on the fields and is well headed. With the average warm and dry weather during the past month the fall wheat would have now been practically all in the stack.

The reports from the other grain areas are optimistic from all parts of the district. Spring wheat in the majority of cases is coming along rapidly and should reach the harvesting stage ahead of the frost by the first of next month. Oats are also maturing well and will at last be ready for the binder at the usual time.

Employees on All the Tube Lines in London Decide to Walk Out—Newspaper Trains Stop Running and Automobiles Are Resorted To—Girls Strike

LLOYD GEORGE TAKES CHARGE OF THE SITUATION FOR GOVERNMENT

Railway Companies Are Running Trains on All Lines But on No Regular Schedules—Main Centres Are All Picketed by Troops and Outsiders Are Not Allowed to Talk with Workmen—Believed that Strike Will End in a Few Days.

London, Eng., Aug. 19.—The chief railway companies of England are living up to their promises to maintain a restricted train service under the protection of soldiers and police. The trains are running this morning on all lines, although in greatly reduced numbers. A fair percentage of men remained loyal while a large number of applications have been made for work by outsiders. Even some of the union men continued their duties being reluctant to strike while negotiations made for settlement were proceeding. A few local unions adopted resolutions not to strike until some decision had been arrived at between the government leaders and the railway managers. David Lloyd-George, chancellor of exchequer, has now taken charge of the situation for the government, and through the good offices of Jas. Ramsay MacDonald, M.P., chairman of the Labor party, succeeded in inducing the officials of the Irish and Scottish, as well as the English unions to meet him at noon today.

Assisted by John Burns, president of the local government board and as both MacDonald and Burns are known as sympathizers with unions and have considered railway managers prospects for an early settlement seemed brighter today. Some of the most ardent supporters of the strike expressed the opinion that the strike would not last more than a few days.

Spontaneous riots on a small scale continued at scattered points throughout the country but London remained calm. The railway centres are closely picketed by representatives of the unions but these were prevented by soldiers and police from having any intercourse with the men at work.

The railway stations presented a rather desolate appearance during the forenoon, most porters being out, few people attempted to travel. The Great Central Railway lines which were completely paralyzed yesterday resumed operations today. The Northwestern railway, upon which a large proportion of the men remained loyal, maintain a good service. The Midland railway abandoned its excursion trains and did not book passengers on some branch lines, but sent its trains to Scotland and the midlands on modified schedule. The Great Northern railway also kept up a fairly good passenger service, but like the other lines running north, was unable to accept goods.

## Aviator Will Try to Fly From Calgary to Edmonton

Calgary, Aug. 19.—A flight from Calgary to Edmonton in a Curtiss type biplane with engine motor in an effort to break the North American non-stop distance record is the feat that will be attempted by Didier Masson, former mechanic and flying partner of Paulhan, who made the first flight across the English channel, and who will be in Calgary in the near future.

Masson has just completed a tour of Honolulu, where he finished first in a successful aeroplane meet held under the auspices of the United States army.

## LET NEW CONTRACT FOR BIGGAR LINE

G.T.P. PUSHING ITS BRANCH FROM BIGGAR TO CALGARY—REACH SOUTHERN CITY IN FALL.

The contract for another sixty miles of the G. T. P. branch line from Biggar to Calgary has been let to the firm of Phalen and Shirley according to M. Shirley one of partners in the firm who arrived in Edmonton this morning from Winnipeg. Phalen and Shirley hold the contract for the first fifty miles of the line and the majority of the subcontractors who took pieces of the work on this section have finished their contracts. They are now engaged in moving their outfits forward to the sixty miles that was let this week.

Mr. Shirley stated this morning that the contract for the last fifty miles for the completion of the additional 60 miles this season, but that if the weather is good and the men are busy it will be possible to finish the work.

"We are making arrangements to employ practically all the sub-contractors who had work on the first 50 miles," he said, "and are looking for as many more outfits as we can get to put on the line."

## WILL THIS ACCOUNT STAND ANALYSIS

DATE	PARTICULARS	DEBIT	CREDIT	REMARKS
1907	Charged to Mr. Oliver			
Oct 3	✓		2000	
1908	20 ✓	6000		
Jan 20	✓	1500		
Sept 25	✓	1000		
Nov 25	✓	7500		
21	✓	5500		
	✓	5250		
21	✓	2000		
1909	20 ✓	2000		
June 11	✓	500		
19	✓	1666 67		
Sept 10	✓	14 30	19350	
20	✓	1000		
21	✓	700		
Oct 20	✓	1666 66		
	✓	100		
23	✓	3000		
1910	June 1 ✓	3000		
2	✓	1000		
	✓	750		
14	✓	1500		
8	✓	800		
	✓	400		
8	✓	2000		
Apr 6	✓	175		
9	✓	747 87		
10	✓	222		
12	✓	27		
	✓	500		
19	✓	500		

Frank Oliver says that Mr. Rutherford Also Has an Account; why should he not be asked to explain? Mr. Rutherford answers that he has not now and never did have anything in his bank account that would stand analysis and he challenges Frank Oliver to go with him before a supreme court judge and submit both accounts to an examination. Will Mr. Oliver accept this challenge? Is he ready to let the court determine where the \$63,350 came from and what he did with it? Or is he in the position that he dare not allow the light of publicity to be thrown upon the transaction set out in this photograph? If Frank Oliver has nothing to hide this is his chance to explain. If he cannot explain he has no right in public life in Canada.



# STOCK RACES AT THE FESTIVAL BOARD

**Exhibition, Now Drawing to a Close, Voted Best Ever Held in Western Canada—Races Prove to Be Premier Attraction—Midway an Animated Scene**

After the excitement and hustle of citizens' day, with its vast throngs, Strathcona day provided a respite during which visitors were able to enjoy the pleasures of the fair in greater comfort, to see the exhibits in the stock buildings at best advantage, witness the races under more congenial conditions. Last year's records were broken on every hand, and by enormous margins, as statistics of the day show, but there was none of the feverish commotion of Wednesday, and for this reason the day in many respects the most enjoyable of the fair.

Undoubtedly the races were the premier attraction. Having succeeded in breaking the record of western fairs in variety and quality of stock exhibits, the Edmonton Exhibition association gained for the fair yesterday a reputation as the greatest race meet in the west. The track, described by one of the leading racing men of the dominion as the best in all Canada, was in perfect condition, and lowering of the Alberta record by Hildessee, and her recovery of the half mile in Canadian record time, will make August 18 a day of significance in the diaries of racing men. Citizens days and Strathcona day in themselves have provided the greatest advertisement that Canada's Great Western Interprovincial stock show and race meet ever had the attendance records and racing records combining to make the exhibition in Edmonton in 1911, famous from coast to coast.

**Stockmen's Dinner**

The stockmen's dinner given last evening, when 200 stockmen and stock judges were entertained as the guests of the exhibition association, brought forth tributes to the energy and enterprise of the directors, and to the very high standard of excellence which has been attained in Central and Northern Alberta stock.

Mr. Stark, a well-known horseman of Toronto, who was a judge in the horse classes here, did not hesitate to state that the exhibit of thoroughbreds which had been brought in, surpassed the exhibits of all eastern fairs.

"I am thoroughly gratified with the attendance, and with the whole success of the exhibition," said President Campbell in conversation with the Capital. Favored by the most propitious weather conditions, we have been able to secure a crowd of unprecedented proportions. All who have discussed the fair with me say that there is no city in Canada in which they have received more hospitable treatment. People who are satisfied as our visitors this year have been, are going to come back again, and they are going to bring with them when the Dominion fair is held, many thousands who have never visited the Edmonton exhibition before."

**Strong Commendation**

"The universal commendation which the exhibition has received, and which the city has received this week from her guests, is due in no small measure to the co-operation of the hotelmen, who, according to Manager Harrison by keeping their prices down to the normal level, and by the excellent accommodation and service which they have provided at a time of emergency, have convinced our visitors that Edmonton is not a place where people are held up. The exhibition association itself set to take a hand early in the week, in the suppression of various attempts to hold-up prices of refreshments on the grand stands. A number of the sellers of soft drinks and confections were found to be charging higher prices than they were authorized to do. The correct prices were accordingly announced from the grand stand at intervals throughout the day, and the practice will be adhered to tomorrow and at all future fairs."

**Platform Attractions**

Of the platform attractions which have been presented during the week, the Russian dances by the Godelerovsk troupe have been the most entertaining. In future years it is to be hoped that turns of this character will be more numerous. The appreciation which has been shown of one of the most talented troupes of dancers who have visited America in recent years, indicates that similar experiments might be attempted in future years, with advantage to the popularity of the fair as a whole. Almost all of the platform attractions revealed the presence of several flasks of spirits. J. P. Craig is now under arrest, and it is possible that there may be a couple of other prosecutions may ensue. A detective succeeded in securing a glass of whiskey by the simple process of holding the other eye at one of the booth attendants, and a search behind the counter revealed the presence of several flasks of spirits.

Yesterday a quantity of liquor was seized upon the fair grounds, and three prosecutions may ensue. A detective succeeded in securing a glass of whiskey by the simple process of holding the other eye at one of the booth attendants, and a search behind the counter revealed the presence of several flasks of spirits.

Of one important duty the police have been relieved by the scouts, who during the last two days have been the means of restoring to their parents four children who had been taken away from the grounds. The boy scouts are as vigorous as shown in crying their merchandise, but in the matter of their own exploits, they are characteristically reticent. It appears that at 8:30 on Thursday evening, a loss of two children of the ages of 7 and 10 years, sons of a farmer named Oliver who was visiting the fair, was reported at police headquarters. The boy scouts heard

speaker, prophesied that the time was coming when it would be unnecessary to import mutton from the antipodes. Sheep fed on the grasses of Northern Alberta would provide adequate to meet the home demand and create a substantial export trade.

Response to loud cries from the audience, Manager Harrison was brought to his feet. He spoke briefly of the objects of the annual dinner, which was to "corral the stockmen and race-horse men of the province, in behalf of the Edmonton Exhibition association."

Mr. Macne, who has visited all of the large stock shows of eastern and western Canada, stated that the visiting stockmen had received more courteous treatment here than in any other part of the Dominion. "The fair which you have held here this week has been the best advertisement Edmonton ever had," he said.

After a short speech by Live Stock Commissioner McMillan, the gathering was brought to a close with the singing of God Save the King. Six special cars were held in reserve at 12:30, for the convenience of the company.

**REAR ADMIRAL SCHROEDER ETES**

Washington, D. C., Aug. 19.—Rear Admiral Scott Schroeder, a conspicuous figure in the navy, was placed on the retired list today on account of age. His naval career began in 1868, in which year he graduated from Annapolis and was assigned to duty with the Pacific fleet. During the ensuing thirty years he served on and land in many parts of the world. In the war with Spain he served on the battleship Massachusetts. His first command was the battleship Louisiana. During the memorable voyage of the Atlantic fleet around the world, he was in command of the Virginia. His last active duty was as president of the Naval War College.

**SENTIMENT FAVORABLE TO RAMPOLLA**

Union Press Service.—Rome, Aug. 19.—Cardinal Rampolla, who is looked upon generally as the most prominent candidate for the papacy, reached his sixtieth birthday anniversary today. The sentiment favorable to the Rampolla candidacy is not wholly personal to the famous cardinal, but is due in a large measure to the circumstances on the political side of the Vatican interests demand at this time a revival of Rampolla's experience and abilities.

**COL. EDWARDS RETIRES**

Union Press Service.—Washington, D. C., Aug. 19.—After almost thirty-seven years' service, Col. Frank A. Edwards of the cavalry was transferred to the retired list of the army today on his own application. He is a native of Pennsylvania, but was at present the secretary of the army in the District of Columbia.

**REUNION OF THE "TRIBE OF JACOB"**

Union Press Service.—Asheville, N. C., Aug. 19.—The "Tribe of Jacob," comprising the descendants of Jacob Weaver who settled in North Carolina more than a century ago, was held today at the home of D. C. Weaver, near Asheville, North Carolina. Members of the family from far and near attended the gathering.

**STRONG SUBJECT FOR LECTURES**

Union Press Service.—Lafayette, Ind., Aug. 19.—What is believed to be the first union improvement train ever operated in this country was started on four days under the joint auspices of the Chicago, Indianapolis and Southern Railroad company and the agricultural extension department of Purdue university. The four day tour of the State which has been found especially adapted to the cultivation of onions. At numerous points lectures will be given on the selection of varieties, cultural methods, fertilization and kindred topics.

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### WEDS ARMY LIEUTENANT

Charlestown, W. Va., Aug. 19.—Zion Protestant Episcopal church of this city was the scene of a brilliant gathering today for the marriage of Miss Cecilia Davenport, daughter of Mr. Arthur Davenport, and Lieut. Paul A. Larned, U.S.A., son of the late Colonel Larned, who was for many years dean of the United States military academy at West Point.

### SING McDOWELL'S "1620"

Union Press Service.—Petersborough, N. B., Aug. 19.—A notable three days music festival in memory of Edward McDowell, the famous composer who made Petersborough his home during the latter years of his life, opened here today under the auspices of the Edward McDowell Memorial association. The opening feature of the programme was Met's "1620," sung by a chorus of seventy voices, the singers in Puritan costumes. The soloists included Gwynn Miles, George Harris, Adele Krueger and Edith Castle.

### TOGO TO VISIT BOSTON

Union Press Service.—Boston, Mass., Aug. 19.—Boston is in readiness to receive Admiral Togo, who reaches the city this evening to begin a visit that will continue until Friday afternoon, when he will report for duty at the Navy Department. The city has made no elaborate preparations for the entertainment of the distinguished visitor, but for the reason that he comes more or less as the guest of the government and under his stay will be in the hands of the navy, was placed on the retired list today on account of age.

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### Food Much Higher

Manchester, Aug. 19.—Trade is becoming scarce don here with the utmost difficulty and prices of food are constantly rising. The strikers in other towns have served to further restrict trade service to Manchester and as a result business is at the point of starvation. Many firms are closing down, thereby many persons out of employment.

**Irish Employees Strike Today**

Dublin, Aug. 19.—At a meeting last night attended by the employees of the four Irish railways it was decided to call a strike at six o'clock this morning.

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# Army Manoeuvres are Profitable Investment

New Field Artillery Used for First Time on Plains of Texas—Officers Keep in Touch with Troops by Means of Wireless Telegraphy

(International News Service)  
Washington, Aug. 19.—Major-General W. H. Carter, who commanded the manoeuvre division in Texas during the war scare over Mexico, has returned to Washington and has given out a statement showing the improvements made in the national defence as a result of the mobilization.

The general thinks that the work of the army in Texas was worth several times the cost to the people and is satisfied that the future work of the soldiers will show the value of the investment.

Among other things, General Carter regards the achievements with the new means of field communication as worth the cost of the manoeuvre. For the first time field wireless apparatus was used. This apparatus was placed on the backs of mules and was attached to the cavalry commands.

By means of these instruments, General Carter says, he was able to keep in constant touch with his cavalry organizations regardless of the distance they might be from camp. He said that this new work would make it possible for the cavalry to always be under the direct command of the division officer.

**Modern Telegraph System**  
Rocks of wire were used to keep the infantry command in touch with division headquarters. Wire was laid on the ground in the wake of a marching regiment or brigade of infantry, and then necessary telegraph instruments were attached and orders flashed to the officers from the general commanding.

These roads were fitted with a wind-vane, and when it became necessary, all the signal corps men had to do was to touch a spring and the wire would recoil.

Also the sanitary arrangements were more effective at the Texas camp than they had ever been in the history of the army, according to General Carter. Out of the whole 20,000 men in camp, no sickness of a serious nature developed. One or two cases of typhoid fever were treated, but these were contracted before the soldiers went to Texas.

**Used Great Deal of Oil**  
Oil was used in great quantities to incinerate all the camp refuse. This

product is cheap in Texas, and the army had all of it that was needed for the experiments. Kings of oil were burned around the camp, and fires were practically eliminated.

Another important feature of the manoeuvres was the effect of organization. Practically none of the officers in the Texas camp had ever before been a part of a division organization. But few of them had ever seen 20,000 men in one camp and under one command. The training these officers and men received in working out the details of division movements was especially valuable.

**New Field Artillery**  
For the first time the army used the new field artillery in actual operations. None of the guns now used by the artillery are the same as used during the Spanish-American war. The present guns are lighter but more effective than the old field pieces.

Another innovation of the army work, outlined by General Carter, was the use of automobiles as a substitute for the old and cumbersome horse and mule equipment of an army in the field. It was found that many of the heavy mule wagons could be dispensed with. The automobiles were used extensively in Texas for hospital and commissary purposes.

In all marches where smooth roads were covered, the motor cars were found infinitely more valuable than the animal equipment. Much of the heavy baggage was left behind entirely.

General Carter takes the position that the use of automobiles will become more general and that when they are substituted for the older and slower vehicles, it will be possible for a commanding general to lead his men farther away from the base of supplies. So many men will not be needed either to guard the roads leading to supply camps.

**Automobiles of No Use**  
Where rough roads or ploughed ground was to be covered by the army on march, the general explained, mules would have to be used as formerly. Automobiles could not be moved over such surfaces. However, it was demonstrated that an army of men could do without a great many of the animals.

that now form a part of the equipment on the march.

Taking it all in all, General Carter thinks the Texas manoeuvres a fine investment for the government. He says the officers and men have gained experience never before given. American troops not in actual war operations. Since the Civil War have so many men been mobilized under one command. Then, too, the general says that the work of mobilization was accomplished in less time than was believed possible by most of the army experts. He said that the only delay of consequence was due to the lack of cars on some of the railroads, but that if war had been actually declared the government could and would have taken the cars. Therefore, the lack of cars was not a material matter.

As it was the troops reached San Antonio before water pipes could be laid from the city to the camp. This, he says, shows what could be done in the way of moving the army in case of a hostile attack. He believes that in a week or a little more, perhaps 50,000 men could be mustered to repulse an attack.

General Carter has now assumed his old duties as assistant chief of staff. He went from the war department to the field for the purpose of putting into operation some of the theories of the general staff which he had a large hand in preparing.

**FORMER COMMISSIONER RETURNS TO SEATTLE**  
Former Commissioner A. V. Bouillon, with his household goods has shaken the dust of Edmonton from his feet and hied himself back to the city of Seattle. It was on Friday that Mr. Bouillon departed from the Alberta capital very quietly and modestly and without any noise whatsoever. His closest adherents disclaim any knowledge of his future intentions, his hopes or his prospects. They likewise disclaim any knowledge of any intentions of Mr. Bouillon as regards his alleged present connections with the city. In a letter to the city council the ousted commissioner declared himself to be yet to the employ of the municipality. Under this claim the former commissioner is open to censure for he has left the city without asking permission from the chief executive, or leaving his address at the city hall should, perchance, it be desired to summon him.

## GLASGOW HERALD HAS REPRESENTATIVE HERE

Studying Agricultural Conditions in Edmonton District and Gathering Data for Special Articles

James Cameron, agricultural editor, and incidentally agriculture operator, of Glasgow, Scotland, representing the Glasgow Herald is a guest at the Royal George during a visit to the Edmonton district for the purpose of studying agricultural conditions in northern Alberta and gathering data for a series of articles in the publication which he represents. The gentleman paid a visit to the exhibition on Wednesday and closely scrutinized agricultural and stock exhibits sufficient in number and proportions to supply data for several editions of an ordinary periodical. The gentleman is exceedingly well pleased with this particular district and is gratified to find such a field teeming with crops for an agriculture editor.

## LAY CORNER STONE OF NEW HEBREW SYNAGOGUE

The corner stone of the new Hebrew synagogue, corner of Grieson and Sybilcote, was laid Thursday afternoon.

The ceremony was witnessed by many spectators, including most of the Hebrews of the city. On the platform were his honor the lieutenant-governor, Hon. Frank Oliver, ex-Mayor Lee, Wm. Short, K.C., A. Grisdal, W. Diamond, H. H. Kline, C. Lyons, Kaufman, F. Fruchman, H. Goldstein, editor of the Canadian Jew, Winnipeg, A. H. Goldberg, secretary of the association, and J. Goodman, secretary of the building committee.

In opening the ceremonies A. H. Goldberg read a history of the organization from its inception in 1906. The structure when completed will have cost \$15,000.

## WANT TO ADOPT COMMISSION PLAN

(Union Press Service)

Victoria, B.C., Aug. 19.—Official representatives of the chief cities of British Columbia met today to consider the proposed revision of the Municipal Clauses act so as to admit of a commission form of government. While Vancouver and one or two other of the large cities of the province are seeking to adopt.

## FOREST FIRES SUBDUED

(Western Associated Press)

St. John, N.B., Aug. 19.—Heavy rains practically extinguished the forest fires which threatened to destroy the town of Pondiquet and several smaller villages, flames devastated area more than six miles long destroying thousands of acres of valuable timber land.

## ART EXHIBITS ARE FEATURE OF FAIR

DISPLAY BY LOCAL WOMEN'S ART ASSOCIATION IS ATTRACTING GREAT DEAL OF INTEREST

The exhibit of the Edmonton branch of the Women's Art Association of Canada just opposite the carriage entrance to the grounds is one that attracted considerable attention yesterday and this morning. Most of the pieces on exhibition are the work of members of the association. There are sketches of scenery about Edmonton, including the old fort and places of interest along the river bank and pictures of the Canadian Rockies, done by officers and members of the society.

The object of the association is to encourage all kinds of artistic handicraft including painting, embroidery, fancy sewing, leather tooling, etching on leather, china painting, wood carving and jewellery work. Classes are conducted under its auspices at which these things are taught. The largest single collection in the exhibit is the work of Miss Anderson, 418, Fourth street. It includes the pictures of "The Sleeping Child" and "Venus."

One of the most unique pieces in the entire exhibition is a necklace of hammered silver and enamel with opal settings, the work of Mrs. Anderson. It has been made entirely by hand and the chain work on it is exceptionally fine.

## SEARCHING WEST FOR FACTORY SITE

OFFICIALS OF MUELLER MANUFACTURING CO. WILL VISIT CITY SOME TIME NEXT MONTH

For the purpose of looking over land interests in Canada and incidentally for looking over various locations with a view of selecting a site for the building of a manufacturing plant, officials of the Mueller Manufacturing Company, Decatur, New York, and Chicago, are touring western Canada and are expected to pay a visit to Edmonton in the near future.

W. C. Behrehs, representing this firm, reached Edmonton this morning on a business trip. In the party of officials of this concern are Adolph Mueller, president, Philip Mueller, general superintendent, and O. H. Mueller who has charge of the New York office of the concern. The Mueller Manufacturing Company manufactures waterworks, brass tapping machines, and brass supplies for plumbers and their goods are widely known all over the States and also in Canada. The Decatur plant employs some 1400 men. The factory to be erected in Western Canada will at first have a payroll of about 500.

## RAILWAY OFFICIALS ARE WESTWARD BOUND

(Western Associated Press)

Port Arthur, Ont., Aug. 19.—A. W. Smithers of London, England, chairman of the board of directors of the G.T.P., Glas. M. Hays, president, and other officials of the company, arrived on the Atlantic coast this morning and will leave for Winnipeg on a special train. With them were James Playfair, president of the Northern Navigation company, H. H. Gillespie, general manager, and other navigation officials, but these will not go west.

## SPECIAL MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

MONDAY EVENING WHEN ENGINEER WILL BE INSTRUCTED TO PREPARE PLANS FOR GAS PLANT

On Monday night a special meeting of the city council will be held when steps toward securing a municipal gas plant for the city of Edmonton will be taken. The action to be taken Monday evening will be the authorization of the city engineer to call in a gas expert, get plans and specifications for a gas plant of sufficient capacity to supply the demands of this city with provisions for increased capacity, and likewise secure an estimate of cost upon the same. No dilly-dallying on the part of any member of the council is anticipated. It is on the other hand expected that the question of municipal gas is submitted to the people. And that when the people have voted for a gas plant that the construction of the same will be prosecuted so that the people of Edmonton will have gas next summer. Then Edmonton will have all its utilities municipally owned and there will be no breakers of gas for the municipality such as were just safely, yet dangerously, navigated.

At the meeting of the council Monday evening business that would have regularly come before the council on Tuesday evening had, who transacted. A matter of importance that will be brought up will be the amalgamation agreement between Strathcona and Edmonton. The action to be taken upon this is the ratification of the agreement by the council and a date set for the election. The election will be held on the same day both in Edmonton and Strathcona.

**CARLETON'S NOMINEE**  
(Western Associated Press)  
Woodstock, N. B., Aug. 19.—Carleton county conservatives today nominated D. F. Smith to oppose Mr. Carvell, Carvell held Smith in the last elections by 151 majority.

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## POLICE ARE NEGLIGENT

Although the city police had been specifically requested to notify all visitors to the fair that sleeping accommodation might be obtained at the offices of the exhibition association on Second street, they allowed several scores of people to walk the streets last evening, and officers of the association took it upon themselves to rather in the night wanderers. The price charged by the association is 50 cents per bed per night.

A good bluff may be more effective than the real thing.

## ST. HYACINTHE MEMBER IS AT DEATH'S DOOR

(Western Associated Press)  
St. Hyacinthe, Aug. 19.—M. A. Beaudry, M. P. liberal candidate in a critical condition. The last sacrament was administered at five o'clock this morning and his death is apparently but a matter of hours.

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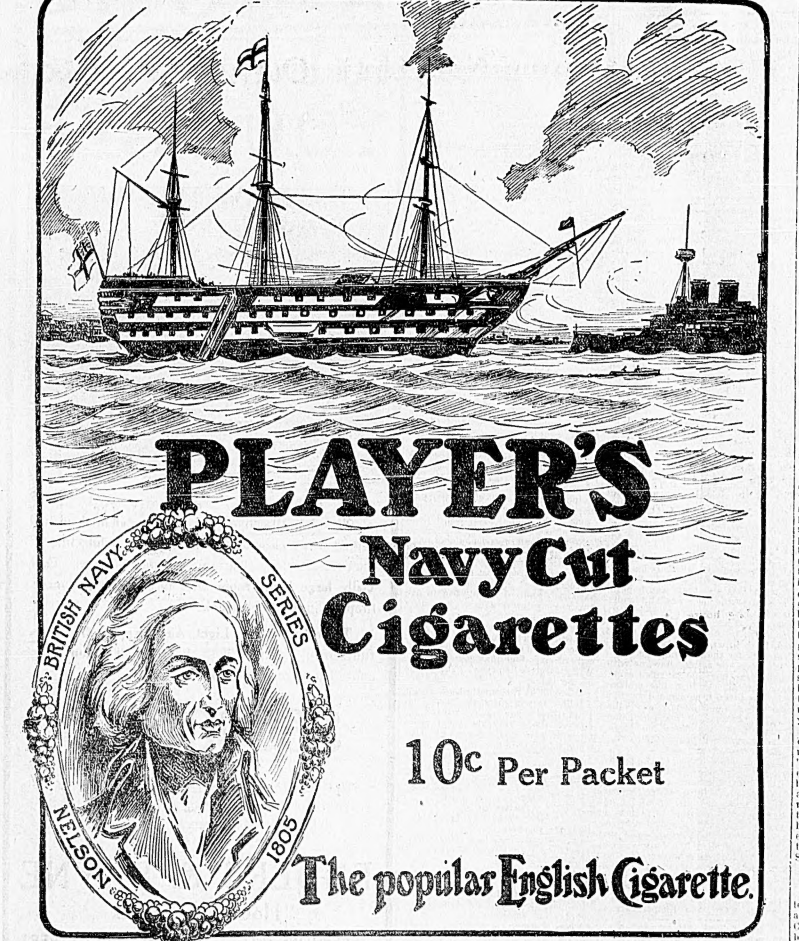
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# France Never Treated Germany With Contempt

But Were Prepared for War in Case Kaiser Should Prove Pugnacious—England's Attitude Responsible for Change in Conditions—Paris Society Dead

**FRANCE** (By La Recontre.)  
(Continued from page 1)  
Paris, Aug. 19.—This is not the first time by any means, since the war of 1870, that Frenchmen have seen before them the "bees" of another war with Germany. But this is the first time that they have taken their precautions so quietly, so philosophically and so systematically.  
On former occasions, as a matter of fact, they took no precautions at all. They were led in diplomatic language, Germany does not like this, and so on, and if she gets no satisfaction with best take care. The result this time, however, the "bees" has had a far different reception.  
Abster, entant cordiale, is there to keep Mademoiselle la republic from over excitement and Mademoiselle herself shrugs her pretty shoulders at the grime of the beesman.  
But she is not treating Germany with contempt; she knows that would be foolish. She is only preparing for the worse, quietly, practically and gently, that her neighbor may take the hint and not press her too closely.

**Stepped Into Breach**  
The first man to step into the breach was little M. Deleasse. True he has nothing to do with foreign affairs now, as he had when the "bees" last rattled its chains, but he controls the navy and his quiet assurance that that branch of the government's defense was ready, was willing to participate in the threatened festivities, exerted a quietening effect upon the temperment of the public.  
Next came the Minister of War, M. Messimy, with the cool assurance that the army, under its new Commander-in-Chief, General Joffre was amply able to back up the sea force.

**These two assurances, together with the prompt action of England in fulfilling her part of the compact allowed any signs of fear, and Germany's attempted coup, scarcely caused a flutter of the public's pulse.**  
**Social Season is Dead**  
Though the social season is dead and gone, and though everyone is supposed to be out of town, the surprising large number of fashionables, who still look to the blazing streets and sunbaked asphalt, is rapidly carving for Paris a reputation as a summer resort that compares favorably with New York, London and St. Petersburg. The socially elite are no longer slaves to the yearly peregrinations of their kind; it is no longer a sign of financial insolvency to avoid a preference for the convenience of the capital at the expense of the fashionable though uncomfortable watering places of Switzerland and Southern France. In fact a social revolution is quietly under way, and this revolution had its nucleus in this large number of wealthy Americans who favored a decided preference for the delights of Gay Paris, and an equally strong aversion for the nefarious servility of French summer resorts.

**Princesses**  
An echo from the past has again stirred into life the rumor that the Archduke of Austria, clan Salvator, who left the land of his birth under disgrace and suspicion, would return to claim the throne that is his by right of inheritance. When the Archduke left his native land he took the name of John Orth and after a lapse of a decade had been reported many times dead. Recently his death was officially declared.  
The Princess de Saxe, however, a favorite cousin of the Archduke's, is the instigator of the rumor that has caused a stir in Austrian political circles, the more especially since the Emperor Franz Joseph is rapidly nearing his grave. She expresses a belief in the Archduke's safety and his inevitable re-appearance when the present team of the Austrian throne is dead.

To give credence to the rumor, the Princess recited a letter received from the Archduke after he had twice been reported dead in which he says: "I go away because the Emperor wishes. But I will return when Franz Joseph is dead. I will come back to Vienna for Austria will need me. Adieu my cousin, I will surely return."  
Princess Louise anxiously awaits the reappearance of her cousin.



Types of Albanian Warriors Who Have Revolted and Are Causing Considerable Trouble in Their Native Land.

## JOY RIDERS ARE HURLED TO DEATH

**AUTOMOBILE SKIDS FROM BRIDGE NEAR MONTREAL—TWO KILLED AND TWO INJURED.**

(Western Associated Press)  
Montreal, Aug. 19.—Two persons were killed and two others badly injured when a motor car, carrying four passengers, skidded off the wooden bridge and plunged into the waters of the river St. Lawrence.  
The dead are Mr. Joseph Gorman, an ex-Mayor of the municipality of Outremont, and a woman whose name could not be ascertained last night.  
The two persons injured were Mr. Joseph Gorman, of Montreal and an unknown woman.

**Stiffing Heat**  
Just now, with a stifling heat settled upon the city, attention is directed towards the water famine that has the French capital in its throes. Rumors of coming winter social and financial life of reported sufferers. Hundreds are said to be dying one day and relief is foreseen the next. In spite of the casualties that are said to have taken place one sees very little abatement in the gloom of the city. Theaters, cafes and hotels present the same cosmopolitan, happy appearance. An even the most dire predictions of the perils of the St. Lawrence side of the Parisian temperament accompanied by a shrug of the shoulders and a smile.

**May Claim Throne.**  
An echo from the past has again stirred into life the rumor that the Archduke of Austria, clan Salvator, who left the land of his birth under disgrace and suspicion, would return to claim the throne that is his by right of inheritance.

**Andrew Carnegie, the Ironmaster, in bronze.**  
This photograph shows a bust in bronze by J. Massey Rhind, the Scotch sculptor. It shows the Ironmaster in his gown as Lord Rector of St. Andrew's university in Scotland. This bust was completed in 1908 and Mr. Carnegie since has found no portrait of himself equal to it.

**BRITISH RAILWAY SCHEDULES DEMORALIZED**  
(Continued from Page One.)

**Chancellor in the Breach**  
The chancellor reported that today's negotiations and Premier Asquith's offer to form a royal commission to effect a settlement of the strike had resulted in a misunderstanding of the strike which might be put straight. But the spokesman of the railway employees refused to accept Mr. Lloyd George's views and insisted on calling the strike even though the negotiations had not been definitely broken off.

**Premier's Proposition**  
Premier Asquith's proposition was to form a royal commission of three members, one from the railway companies, one from the strikers, and a third, the chairman, a man well known for his impartiality.

**Railways Accept Proposition**  
The railway companies' representatives accepted the proposition, but the employees rejected it. A dramatic feature of the affair is that England's army is on the move. The government is deploying troops to meet the emergency all over the country.  
At Aberdeen tonight 150,000 soldiers were loaded on twenty-two trains. A large proportion of them have come to London and are encamped in the parks, and near the railway stations. The only London railway station, however, where soldiers are in evidence is Charing Cross, the center of several suburban lines, which the Scots Guards are picketing. Elsewhere troops are being moved to strategic points all over the country. The government's plan to cope with the strike seems fully arranged. At the conclusion of a conference between representatives of the men and the officials of the board of trade this evening a manifest was issued by the committee of the Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants.

"Meaning the government continues efforts to avert a general stoppage of transportation service. Sydney Buxton, president of the board of trade who had an early morning call from Viscount Richard D. Blandine, secretary of state for war, again met the railroad managers and officials of the union were in session in Unity hall concerning the government's suggestion for the appointment of a royal commission who should investigate and report what amendments if any, should be made to the agreement now existing between the owners and employees as explained by Chancellor David Lloyd-George, in the house of commons last night, when the suggestion for a royal commission was made by Premier Asquith.

**Strikers are Scored**  
(Canadian Associated Press)  
London, Aug. 19.—Although the railway strike has commenced the public is finding it impossible to believe that it will assume really paralyzing proportions. The most radical of the evening papers today say that it cannot be denied that the strikers have shown little consideration for the public.  
Both Liberal and Conservative journals support the government's determination to assist the railway companies, in maintaining a service.

**Rioting at Sheffield**  
Sheffield, Aug. 19.—There was considerable rioting here all day. Troops and police who were engaged in moving goods were obstructed by rowdies, and compelled to use their batons, and late tonight a case of riotous assembly successfully to tear up the tracks of the Midland railroad. The Lord Mayor threatens to requisition more troops if there is a repetition of the disorder.

**CHANGES IN ARMY COMMANDS**  
(Union Press Service)  
San Antonio, Tex., Aug. 19.—Brigadier General William H. Carter in command of the manoeuvres brigade in Texas, General Carter returns to Washington to resume his duties as assistant chief of staff, relieving General Arthur Murray, who has been assigned to the command of the Department of the West, with headquarters at San Francisco.

It is easier to look thoughtful than it is to deliver the thoughts.

## WHAT WILL HAPPEN WHEN THE POPE DIES

Believed that Cardinal Rampola Will Be His Successor—Italian Members of Cardinal College Are Majority in Power and Will Make Selection

(Union Press Service)  
Rome, Aug. 19.—That Pope Pius X cannot last much longer is becoming a matter of conviction in all quarters. As a consequence the possibility of the imminent conclave is in the thoughts of all persons connected with the Vatican, though there is not the slightest sign as yet of canvassing for intriguers among the Cardinals for the chair of St. Peter. Nevertheless prognostications as to the possible successor to the present Pontiff are being made.  
The sacred college now has only forty-nine members, twenty-eight Italians and twenty-one foreigners. The Italian majority is strong in number, but stronger still in influence. Nearly all the Italian Cardinals reside in Rome and direct all the affairs of the Papacy. As heads of embassies they have the power exercised elsewhere by cabinet ministers. Their views are carried out by Italian substitutes. All the Papal nuncios are Italian, depending from an Italian Cardinal secretary of state. The majority of the Vatican officials are Italian, from the high chamberlain of the apostolic palace to the lowest menial employed about the premises. All these people, with their influence, which is strong, have nothing to gain and everything to lose from a foreign successor to Pius X.

**Italian Cardinals Control.**  
Foreign cardinals being thus out of the contest, the choice of the next Pope will be confined to one of the twenty-eight Italian members of the sacred college. The best Catholic sentiment in Rome at the present time seems to be unanimous in its expression in favor of Cardinal Rampola as successor to Pius X. Cardinal Rampola came near being a successful candidate in 1903 when the present Pope was chosen. It may be assumed that the cardinals who voted for him at the last conclave will again support him, while it is well known that many of his former adversaries are now his supporters. Pius X himself is reported to have said that he felt that his successor should be Leo XIV, thus clearly designating Rampola, whose policy would have been a continuation of that of Leo XIII.  
The election of Rampola at the last conclave was prevented only by Austria's vote. There will be no mention of a veto at the next conclave, for one

**HERRON FAVORS RECIPROCITY**  
McLeod, Aug. 18.—John Herron was renominated for the Federal House at the Conservative convention held here yesterday. Herron declared he would support the policy of the party with the exception of the plank relating to reciprocity.  
**HOME RULE FOR SCOTLAND**  
Bill introduced Provides for Legislation to Deal With Purely Scottish Affairs  
(Western Associated Press)  
London, Aug. 19.—The desire for home rule in Scotland is assuming a more concrete form. As a first step Sir Henry J. D. Dalziel, newspaper proprietor, and member of parliament for Kirkcaldy, introduced in the House of Commons, this afternoon a bill to establish a legislature in Scotland to deal with purely Scottish affairs.

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